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LOST—One twenty dollar bill and a five dollar bill. The finder will be rewarded on leaving them at this office. ap8tf

LOST—A black and white setter dog was lost on Friday night. Finder will please leave same at John Weiler's warerooms, Fort Street. mar26

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Disastrous Prairie Fires in Manitoba—Bank Manager Promoted.

The New Westminster Southern Railway Progressing—Pugilist Arrested.

Special to THE TIMES.]

Ottawa, April 16—Great pressure is being brought to bear against the Government for not giving a longer time than one day at Easter, namely, Good Friday. Sir John said he would divide the House on Thursday on the matter.

Holton moved a want of confidence on the motion being put going into supply, condemnatory of the manner in which the customs laws were carried out, and in the harsh way they operated against importers.

The Royal Commission's report on labor was brought down this afternoon. The commissioners state in their report that they cannot declare wherein legislation affecting labor and capital in the Dominion Parliament ends and that of provincial legislature begins. They therefore referred to the chief evils which came in their way and ask for their removal without presuming to determine what authority was responsible. Many witnesses refused to give their names to the commissioners, lest they would be dismissed by their employers. The general testimony is that the position of the laboring men is better to-day than some years ago, and the hours of labor reduced. A series of resolutions adopted at the meeting of workmen is printed as an appendix. There are two reports, all the commission not agreeing upon one. Four members of the commission and the chairman sign one report, while eight members of the commission sign the other. The last mentioned report deals more with the question of labor than the other one, which is supposed to represent the employers. The resolutions from the British Columbia workmen are taken from the Times of Thursday, 16th February last. This will likely dispose of the labor question as far as the Government is concerned for some time to come.

The Commons were summoned to the Senate chamber to-day, by order of the Deputy Governor, Justice Strong, when assent was given to a large number of bills passed by both houses, including the act for the conveyance of certain lands to British Columbia.

Winnipeg, April 16 — Several bad prairie fires occurred through Manitoba on Sunday. The stable, nine horses and twenty head of cattle belonging to Peter Cameron, Westbourne, were burned. Alex. Bell, of Stony Mountain, lost his stables and stock.

Rev. Thos. Crosby left for British Columbia by to-night's train.

Yesterday's train from the east was twelve hours late, owing to heavy passenger traffic. Sixteen coaches pulled out for the west shortly after midnight.

D. Miller, manager of the Merchants Bank here, has been promoted to Toronto.

A THRIVING PUGILIST.

Montreal, April 16.—Harry Phillips, manager of John L. Sullivan, has been arrested on a a charge of helping Andy Maloney to steal $14,000 worth of jewelry.

STOLE HIS PANTS.

Kincardine, April 16.—Burglars stole the pants of Peter McGaw, a grocer, last night while he slept and obtained $110.

MINISTERIAL AFFLICTION.

Mrs. Affleck, mother-in-law of Sir John Thompson, died at Halifax last week after a long illness.

PROMINENT HOTEL MAN DEAD.

W. J. Wilson, a prominent Toronto hotel keeper, dropped dead behind his bar on Sunday.

TO RIDE ON THE SHORT LINE.

If parliament does not rise before May 10 the Canadian Pacific will probably take the Maritime province members home by the short line to St. John, N. B. It is also stated that the leading Canadian newspapers will be invited to send a representative over the new road when opened for traffic.

DEPRESSION IN TRADE.

The wholesale day goods merchants of Quebec report trade very dull, and payments coming in slowly and with difficulty. In country parts, business is unpromising, and more than one firm has called in their travellers. Several hundred Canadians from the lower parishes and Acadians from the Maritime Provinces, passed through yesterday on their way to the United States, having decided to leave the country.

C. P. R. SHOPS SHUT DOWN.

The C. P. R. car shops at Perth have closed down, throwing many out of work. The men say the force at Montreal has been reduced and these only work half time.

MORE SENTIMENT WANTED.

Nearly five hundred people met in Shaftesbury Hall, Toronto, to discuss the project started by E. E. Sheppard of forming a society for the development of Canadian sentiment. Resolutions to that end were carried, and a committee was appointed to draw up a constitution.

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Satisfactory Progress Making on the Southern Railway.

Special to THE TIMES.]

New Westminster, April 16.—A party of railway magnates, including Hon. Eugene Canfield, Chas. King and Col. Perry Dickinson, arrived here on Sunday on business connected with the New Westminster Southern Railway. They state that the negotiations connected with said road are making satisfactory progress. The preliminary surveys are completed and location parties are stationed all along the line. To-day all the engineers and other employees on the works are being paid up.

THE QUESNEL ROAD.

The Man Who Cannot be Arrested by the Police.

A Montreal *Gazette* correspondent, writing from Megantic, where Donald Morrison, the modern Rob Roy resides, speaks as follows about that individual: Highland Scotch people, who are all Presbyterians, say they would like Donald to be tried by an Irish Catholic jury, as they think such a body would understand eviction cases, and would be apt to give Donald fair play. Morrison, whom I have not seen yet, is highly praised by everyone who has known him since he was a baby. The postmaster of Agnes says he is a splendid specimen of a man, a Presbyterian, truthful, honest, upright, moral, never known to use an oath or any vulgar word. This is the universal testimony of all the people. Jack Warren, whom Donald shot, was a big, stout man, weighing about 230 pounds; about forty years of age, reported to have been a Yankee outlaw and whisky smuggler, and not a British subject. He did not live with his wife. Donald came into the village of Lake Megantic to buy a new hat for the Sacrament Sunday at Marsden, and was halted by Jack Warren, revolver in hand. Donald, it is alleged, tried to avoid Warren, and did what he could to keep out of trouble, but he was obliged to kill Warren or be killed himself. He killed Warren. One night last week Morrison and a party of friends came to the village of Lake Megantic looking for detective Carpenter, so as, they said, to give him the chance of earning the $3,000 reward. The men were all armed. The proceeding is condemned by the people here, who do not wish any more blood shed. They all would like Morrison to give himself up after the forces are withdrawn and a fair trial guaranteed.

BEHRING SEA.

What Barton Atkins Thinks About the Vexed Question.

Barton Atkins, U. S. Marshal for Alaska, came down from Sitka a few days ago. Mr. Atkins is a man of good common sense and his opinion is worth noting on the Behring sea question.

In regard to the President's proclamation closing the Behring sea the marshal says that it is simply a notice based upon the resolution of Congress that the law would be enforced as it was in 1887, and he thinks it will not be contested by the British authorities, for the interests of both countries will be promoted by the preservation of the sealing industry, which, without this law, would soon be destroyed. The seal skins are nearly all sold in London, and the fur dealers there, as well as this government, which receives a royalty on the capture of seals, desire to have the fisheries preserved. Mr. Atkins thinks that the company which now has the monopoly of these fisheries would pay the government $1,000,000 annually, instead of half that sum, as at present, rather than not have their privileges extended for another term of years. This very valuable industry is only one of the many resources of the Alaskan territory which demand the protection of our government.

As the executive of the court in Alaska, Mr. Atkins has had great responsibilities to discharge. In the season of 1887 and 1888 eighteen sealers were seized. Ten of them American and eight Canadian, that were found plying their trade in Alaskan waters in alleged violation of the United States statutes, and Mr. Atkins has had charge of the cargoes, as well as the vessels until the last of them, not released under bonds, were sold at Port Townsend the other day.

WHISPERS OF THE WIRES.

News of the World Condensed into Pithy Paragraphs.

The *Weekly Despatch* says William O'Brien has instituted suit for libel against Lord Salisbury, in consequence of the latter's remarks concerning him in his recent speech delivered at Watford.

Upwards of 5,600 pre-historic silver coins and a quantity of jewelry of ancient manufacture has been discovered at Winberg, in Schleswig Holste n. The collection is very valuable, and the finders expect to realize a large sum from its sale to curiosity hunters.

Louis Kossuth, the Hungarian liberator, has had another relapse, and his life is despaired of.

It is stated that Lord Salisbury will pay a visit to Bismarck about Easter.

Parnell's action in the Irish courts against the *Times* will be abandoned.

Bishop Keen, rector of the new Catholic university at Washington, expects to sail for America early in May. The rules for the new institution are now being printed.

In the British Commons Sir James Ferguson, under foreign secretary, denied that the Persian Government had ceded to Russia the fortress of Kalatnadir.

The Pope is suffering from the effects of a fresh cold, and is confined to his apartments.

King Humbert, accompanied by Premier Crispi, expects to visit Berlin on May 20th, and will remain there a week.

The supreme court of Hawaii has forfeited the bark C. D. Bryant for having concealed opium on board. Appraisers placed her value at $19,000, and she probably will be sold for the benefit of the government.

The steamer Southern Cross, while on the passage from Formby to Melbourne, Australia, struck on Rocky Cape reef at night and became a total wreck. The passengers were all rescued.

The Alameda brings news that the schooner Northern Bell foundered on the 28th of February off Motlab island, Banks group. Four white men and sixteen natives were drowned.

SPORTING NOTES.

The juvenile champion sculler of the world is Eddie C. Atherton, who was four years old last August. The Boston *Globe* says of him: "He has surprised the residents of Hartford, Conn., by his phenomenal use of the sculls and seat. He is 38 inches in height; chest measure 23 inches, biceps 7 inches; weight, 40 pounds. The little fellow takes to water as naturally as a duck, and when three years old commenced his rowing practice in what is known as a shell working boat. The craft he now works, and which he delights so many people by his marvelous skill, is a regular cedar shell, 31 feet long and 11 inches wide. It is fitted with all the modern rigging, and a small stretcher is placed at a proper distance, to which a dainty pair of rowing shoes is made fast."

BASE BALL.

The Amity baseball club has received an invitation from the Seattle Reds to open new grounds at Seattle, by two match games, on the 19th and 20th of May. It is not likely the kind invitation will be accepted, the dates being too near the 24th of May celebration.

HORSE RACING.

It has been suggested that a hose-team tournament would be an exceptionally strong drawing card on the 24th of May. Hose team racing and coupling is grand sport and must be seen to be appreciated. In this line of sport Americans are at home. It has always proved the best drawing card in Seattle and Tacoma.

BASE BALL RULES.

The following are the changes in the rules this season in a nutshell:—

Foul tips will not be out.

Four ball, instead of five, give a base.

Runner need not touch bases on returning on a foul.

Batter cannot be struck out or intentionally blocked off foul.

The imaginary line has been eliminated from the pitcher's box.

If thrown ball hits umpire runner must return to base he started from.

Extra player, or tenth man, may take his place in the field at the end of any inning.

The umpire shall not reverse any decision on the testimony of any player or bystander.

Base runner entitled to take one base without being put out if batted ball hits the umpire on fair ground.

Players must come in from field and seat themselves on players' bench at conclusion of their half in the field.

After a player has been once fined for abusing the umpire that official shall retire said player from game and substitute one of the men in uniform.

Game not ended until ball has been returned to pitcher—all runs up to that time to count and bateman to get credit for all bases he can make on the hit.

To Sportsmen.

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FOREIGN DISPATCHES.

Yates Talks About Royalty—The Duchess of Cambridge's Funeral.

The Charges Against Boulanger—Municipal Elections in France.

By Postal Telegraph.]

NEW YORK, April 16.—Edmund Yates' London cable to the *Tribune* says the Queen's birthday will be kept officially on the correct day, Friday, May 24th, but the state banquets will take place in order to suit ministerial convenience on Saturday the 25th, when the Prince of Wales and the Ambassadors will dine with Lord Salisbury in Arlington street. Lady Salisbury will have a great party at the foreign office.

Imperial Kew has rarely looked drearier that in the damp and drizzle of Saturday morning. The scarlet uniforms and the Coldstream Guards alone relieved the prevailing cheerlessness. Even the humblest spectator had put on decent mourning out of respect for the departed Mistress of Cambridge Cottage. Never did a crowd behave better, even itinerant vendors were noticeable for the subdued tones in which they cried their wares and every head was uncovered when the hearse arrived, exactly a quarter of an hour before it was expected. With wonderful celerity the ponderous coffin was placed in the centre of a low hall, the walls of which were lined with floral offerings. The Generals who were to follow the remains to the grave entered silently one after another. Counts Hatzfeldt and Daym arrived almost simultaneously. Hardly a word was exchanged amongst the chief mourners and the Lord Chamberlain had scarcely announced that the Queen had taken her place, when the soldiers raised the polished oak coffin on their shoulders and bore it with measured tread toward the church, while the comrades outside reversed arms and the band, the dead Duchess loved so much to listen to, played the touching strains of Chopin's march. The Queen looked far better and stronger than for some time, and entirely disposed with the aid of a stick as she walked briskly up the narrow aisle and took a place to the right of the altar. The services and singing were equally impressive. The Lord Chamberlain and Vice Chamberlain stood between the altar and the coffin. General Grenville, pallbearers and soldiers formed another group to the left. Just as the stalwart Coldstream Guards were about to raise the coffin and carry it to the aperture, hidden from view by a white silk curtain, the Queen placed another wreath and crown of *immortelles* upon it. After it had disappeared the Duke of Cambridge kissed the Queen's hand and she saluted him tenderly on the right cheek. The Duke and Duchess of Abercorn, Duchess of Beaufort and Baron Ferdinand de Rothchild, were among the mourners.

Frequent changes of the programme from state to semi-state and from semi-state to modified semi-state caused a good deal of inconvenience and perplexity, although the result was in no way unsatisfactory and the ceremony was sufficiently imposing without being unduly elaborate. The Queen took the greatest interest in every detail, and nothing was done without her sanction. The late Duchess of Cambridge died much richer than was expected. Her son being already amply provided for, she is said to have divided the bulk of her fortune in equal shares, between the eldest daughter, the Grand Duchess of Mecklinburg-Strelitz and the children of the Duke and Duchess of Teck. The Grand Duke's income without this addition amounted to $400,000. The money bequeathed to the young Princes of Teck and their sister is very strictly tied up. The popular Princess Victoria is now an heiress. The employees of the foreign office presented Sir Julian Pauncefort with a magnificent silver inkstand, as a token of their regard prior to his starting for Washington. The casket in which it stands bears a highly complimentary inscription.

It has been decided to inaugurate the Paris exhibition by day after all, instead of in the evening, as originally proposed. There is to be as little speech-making as possible. A procession through the courts and a declaration by the President that the show is open, *et voila tout*. The public come in at three francs a head in true republican fashion. At present things are behind hand, especially in the great machinery hall. The general British section is well ahead, and will certainly be presentable on the sixth.

ROYAL FAVOR.

London, April 15.—The Prince of Wales is desirous of meeting Parnell and has so expressed himself. It seems a few nights ago the Prince of Wales drove up to the House of Commons and asked that Parnell be presented to him. The latter was absent and unfortunately the meeting could not then take place. It is asserted now that a dinner is being arranged at the house of a mutual friend, at which the two men may meet.

ELECTED.

London, April 15—The election to fill the vacant seat in Parliament for the central division of Birmingham, which took place to-day, resulted in the choice of Albert Bright, by a vote of 5610 to 2560 for Beale, the Liberal candidate.

THE BUDGET SPEECH.

London, April 15.—Goschen, in a long speech, introduced the budget. He said it would exceed the estimates of the last budget by £1,545,000; while the expenditures were £941,000 below the estimates, leaving a surplus of £3,586,000. Malt and spiritous liquors and tobacco had decreased. That from tea showed a small increase, and the income tax had realized £1,210,000 over the estimate. The postal and telegraph revenues showed an increase from stamps £490,000. The revenue for the current year would probably be £88,000,000, and the expenditures about £87,000,000. The deficit would be met by taking £1,000,000 of the sum saved last year, and putting an additional tax upon death duties on estates of the value of £10,000 and upwards, and by adding one fourteenth of a penny to the location on each gallon of beer manufactured.

The presentation of the budget by Hon. George J. Goschen, chancellor of the exchequer, was a distinguishing feature of the proceedings of the Commons this evening. Contrary to expectation, the budget does not in the least affect any article of trade with America, and is singularly free from startling innovations. The only new points worthy of especial mention are the increase of death duties, or taxation of legacies, and a considerable increase of the present taxation of malt. Both of these are liberal measures, and the first mentioned may be said to be almost socialistic, since the contention of the socialists is that the right of post-mortem division of property does not exist, and that therefore all property not devised before death should revert to the state. Taxation of legacies already plays an important part in the British revenue, and the proposed increase will, without doubt, receive the full support of the radical members as a step in the right direction. Goschen was interrupted by vociferous cheering from the opposition benches when he mentioned the fact that the sale in coffee has largely fallen off, owing to the persistent advertising of their wares in which dealers in cocoa had lately indulged, and which had resulted in the establishment of a tremendous trade in that commodity. Goschen occupied two hours and forty-two minutes in delivering his speech.

CHARGES AGAINST BOULANGER.

Paris, April 15.—It is thought probable that a number of military officers will be arrested in connection with General Boulanger's trial, as among the documents submitted to the investigating committee are some proving that the army was tampered with, and implicating some of the officers. Warrants for M. M. Boulanger, Rochefort and Dillon have been formally served at their residences.

Another of the charges is that he collected money for the propaganda while he was in America as one of the French representatives to the centennial. The *Chronicle* correspondent in Paris says the charge can be proved.

At a Boulangist banquet held at Versailles this evening, M. Laguerre read General Boulanger's manifesto, and in a speech contrasted the doings of the sham republicans of the present with those of the Republicans of 1789. The centennial anniversary of the acts of the latter, he declared, must witness the completion of the reforms then initiated. Laguerre and Herrisse were arrested on leaving the banquet, but were subsequently released.

Brussels, April 14.—Boulanger has taken a house in the Avenue Louise, together with stable accommodation for seven horses. It is expected his famous black charger will arrive in a day or two.

FRENCH MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.

Paris, April 15.—The municipal elections were held yesterday throughout France. The Boulangists seized the occasion to make a display of their strength. At Charenton their candidate headed the list with 2,447 votes, and at St. Foy, in the department of Rhone, the Boulangist led with 1,230 votes.

DEMAND FOR BONDS.

There is great demand for the lottery bonds to be issued in connection with the exposition. The sale began yesterday, and great numbers of people remained in the street all night to be present at the opening of the offices where the bonds are issued. The subscriptions exceeded many times the total amount of the bonds offered.

AMERICAN DISPATCHES.

Cincinnati, April 16.—It is stated here there will be no reduction in telegraph or cable rates in this country, because of a deal practically consummated between the United and Western Union Telegraph lines. The terms have been reduced to writing and signed by the proper officers of both companies, and a forfeit deposited in the vaults of the Chemical National Bank.

INFIDELITY THE CAUSE.

Buffalo, N. Y., April 16 — Thomas Dominique, Spanish musician, residing in the Barker Block, cut his wife's throat and then cut his own early this morning in the presence of their young children. Both died instantly. The wife's infidelity is said to be the cause.

A BROKEN SHAFT.

Queenston, April 16 — The steamer British Princess, reported off Fastnet yesterday, in tow, was towed into port today. Her shaft was broken after passing through Hell, and she had to return. The steamer will be taken to Liverpool for repairs.

ADVICES FROM CHINA.

San Francisco, April 16—The steamer Oceanic arrived from Hongkong this morning, bringing the following advices:

A memorial has been presented to the Chinese Government against the extension of railways in China. It is stated that they have been found to be so dangerous in Europe that they are being taken up and the foreigners therefore want China to buy up their old rails.

A full reparation is to be made to the foreigners whose houses and business were damaged in the recent riot at Chin Kiang.

A telephone company with a capital of $300,000, has been formed in Tokio, Japan.

TELEGRAPH COMPANY'S TROUBLES.

New York, April 16.—This morning L. G. Read, in the employ of lawyer J. M. Bowers handed the Mayor's secretary, Mr. Crain, a certified copy of Judge Wallace's order dissolving the injunction procured by the W. U. Telegraph Co. against the Mayor and board-elect. Crain at once sent an order to the Department of Public Works, that department expecting an order, and in anticipation thereof had a large force of axemen and laborers on hand. Hundreds of people gathered in the vicinity of Union Square and Fourteenth street, in which locality the work of cutting down the poles was inaugurated. The pole cutters were divided into two gangs, one gang attacked the poles on one side of the street while the other gang paid paid its respects to those on the opposite side. Another corps of axemen was sent along Sixth avenue to clean that thoroughfare of the obnoxious timbers. This party began its work at Twenty-third street, and intend to level all poles on the avenue up to Twenty-eighth street. Superintendent Humstone of the W. U. Telegraph was surprised this morning when he heard that a gang of men had been sent to cut down poles. Humstone said the Company was prepared for it on all streets mentioned in the Mayor's order. The only persons who would be inconvenienced were the subscribers to the Gold and Stock Telegraph Co.

OUR CITY ALDERMEN.

To THE EDITOR OF THE TIMES.

SIR,—I was considerably amused in reading an article it Saturday's issue of the *Colonist* on the sewerage question, which is not very complimentary to the present city aldermen. It refers back to a few years ago, at the time when the city councillors adopted Pickering's scheme, and considers the men of that time "wise men" for their actions in that particular. It also alludes to them as "the best set of men the city ever had." The writer evidently was not satisfied in referring to them in a modest way, but was bound to give them the full benefit of his opinion by putting it in as strong language as possible. Under the caption of an editorial it is not very complimentary to our city aldermen to dub them as knownothings. They know nothing of engineering "and therefore have no right to an opinion on the merits of plans drawn by competent engineers." From this we are to conclude that our present aldermen have no right to judge for themselves, but to accept the opinion of men who were in the council five years ago. They have no reason to assert their opinions, even in the light of experience or investigation. This article even goes further, with as an unreasonable an argument, to say that men who have been successful in their private business are likely to be good judges of a sewerage system. I must conclude and in doing so I must say I do not think I have read as much nonsense in an article since reading "Mark Twain." In reading Mark Twain, one is prepared to make allowances, but such trash in a journal that pretends to respect the people's interests can hardly be credited. CITIZEN.

AMERICAN DISPATCHES

The Middleton Divorce Bill Passed—The Samoan Wrecks.

The Third Large Stamp Mill for Alaska—Rushing to Oklahoma.

By Postal Telegraph.]

Minneapolis, April 16.—A bold and nearly successful attempt was made at noon to-day to rob the State Bank by two men who went into the bank when there were only two employees present. One covered the employees with a revolver, while the other jumped over the railing and threw about $8,000 on the teller's desk into a valise. At this moment a depositor entered, and this forced the uncovering of the assistant cashier, who rushed to the safe to get a revolver. The robber threw the valise to his accomplice, who dashed into the president's room by mistake, and then jumped through a window and fled. Meanwhile the other man escaped. There was a wild chase, in which three or four policemen joined Finally the two robbers were captured and lodged in jail. The names the men give are Jas. Henry and Fred Douglas.

THE MIDDLETON DIVORCE.

Ottawa, April 16—The Senate has passed the bill of divorce of Henry Middleton, nephew of General Sir Frederick Middleton, commander of the Canadian forces. Young Middleton's wife eloped to California about a year ago with a bank clerk.

STAMP MILL FOR ALASKA.

San Francisco, April 16—The third hundred and twenty stamp mill built by the Risdon Iron Works of this city for Alaska has just been completed for the Alaska Gold Mining Company. It is to run by steam power and will be equipped with all the latest improvements in the mining line.

THE ORDERS TO THE THETIS.

Washington, April 16—It is reported that Lieut. Commander Stockton, of the Thetis, has received special instructions regarding the course to be pursued in the event of British sealers being found in Behring Sea during the coming season. Lieut Stockton is said to be instructed to be very vigilant in following out his orders, and capturing any foreign, as well as American, vessels found in the Behring waters.

RUSHING TO OKLAHOMA.

Kansas City, April 15.—In this city Oklahoma is the one topic on every tongue and the one end of every enterprise. The local jobbing trade is holding off its regular custom to supply the one source of demand. Hardly sufficient for the current needs of the city is left in the hardware stores and the implement and general merchandise stores. In Santa Fe the freight yards are crowded. On the tracks and under moving orders about thirty huge trains freighted with with anticipated necessities of the coming community. There are houses in sections ready to be bolted together and entered for habitation within sixty minutes after their delivery. There are completed stocks of every conceivable sort of merchandise, and with each earload of stock is packed away the building required to harbor it. In this manner drug stores, dry goods, boot and shoe stores, saloons and grocories are drawn up in readiness to be launched forward upon a favored center. It is said in the railway office here that 1,000 carloads of supplies for Oklahoma have already been sent forward, and are awaiting the onset at Arkansas City on the border. Meanwhile, there is a steady gathering of pilgrims by railroads, but the passenger business in the direction of the new country is not yet commensurate with the freight movement. The rush, however, is perceptibly beginning, and will gather in volume and energy throughout the week. It is estimated that there are 30,000 persons standing in the brush upon the outskirts of the tract ready to dash in on foot and by horse and team the moment the proscription is raised, and it is thought that the railroad will carry in an equal number before May 1st.

SUNDAY PAPERS.

New York, April 15.—A combination has been formed by the *Times*, *Sun*, *Tribune*, *World*, *Journal* and *Press* to raise the price for the Sunday issue of these papers to five cents. This is a new departure and will be inaugurated on Sunday next. The combination includes all the English papers except the *News* and *Star*. The *Herald* has all along charged five cents for its Sunday issue independently of the other papers.

APPEARANCE OF THE WRECKS.

San Francisco, April 15.—John P. Dunning, a representative of the Associated Press, who went to Samoa two months ago, and whose letter descriptive of the American and German war vessels in Apia was telegraphed to-night, forwarded three photographs showing the appearance of the wrecked vessels. The German ship Adler lies on her side, completely out of water, while only the bow of the Eber is shown on shore, this vessel being completely broken up. Of the Vandalia, only the mainmast and smokestack and some of the rigging appear above the water. The American flagship Trenton stands well out of water, and there appears to be no question as to the saving of her rifled battery. The Nipsic shows the effects of the collision with the German ship Olga in the loss of her smoke-stack. The Olga displays no signs of any injury.

The following sailing vessels were totally wrecked: German bark Peter Godeffroi; Danish barkentine Ager, English schooner Lillie; English schooner Tafua. The little schooners Upolu, Utemapa, Vailele, Nukununo and Louisa, nearly all belonging to German grading companies, were driven ashore, and only one or two of them were saved afterwards.

APPOINTMENTS.

Washington, D. C., April 16.—The President to-day made the following appointments: Wm. P. Bepburn, of Iowa, to be assistant treasurer; Wm. G. Whiteman, of New Mexico, to be Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of the territory of New Mexico.

The navy department received a cable-gram to-day from Lieut. Wilson, of the Vandalia, stating that the steamer Rockton has been chartered at Sydney, and would arrive at San Francisco on May 16th. Lieut. Wilson is at Sydney, where he will make arrangements for the departure of 300 officers and men of the United States vessels wrecked at Apia, who are to be brought to this country.

THE DENMARK'S PASSENGERS.

New York, April 16.—Nothing is yet known of the passengers of the abandoned steamer Denmark.

LOUISIANA PRIZES.

New Orleans, April 16.—The following are winning numbers of large prizes in to-day's drawing of the Louisiana Lottery: 1st, 82,074; 2nd, 93,880; 3rd, 9,102; 4th, 62,057; 5th, 88,433; 6th, 1,097; 7th, 29,330; 8th, 3,207; 9th, 3,002; 10th, 69,904; 11th, 95,038.

BOOTH HIMSELF AGAIN.

Cleveland, April 16.—Edwin Booth appeared here at the opera house last night. His reception amounted to a perfect ovation.

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SATAN REBUKING SIN.

The Colonist takes exception to our classification of it as a Government wheel-horse (probably because we associated it with the World, although it is too polite to say so,) and reads us a lecture on the "decencies of discussion," which, if anybody will take the trouble to go over some of the old files of that paper, sounds very much like Satan rebuking sin. Comparisons are odious, it must be admitted, and especially when the application is not complimentary. Had we been defending the Government instead of condemning it, and have compared the Colonist to a wheel-horse, whose strength had often kept the Government vehicle from being cramped in the short turns of politics, the chances are that the Colonist would have republished, and comparisons instead of being odious would have been very pleasant indeed. It makes a great deal of difference to the Colonist whose bull is gored. The truth cuts to the quick! That the Colonist should squirm we are not surprised. We would prefer to use statelier language than we do in an expression of opinion; not the monotone of the Colonist, nor the hackneyed rant of the World, but a good orthodox style, something which the Colonist could read without blushing. There are several reasons, however, why we cannot discuss matters in the chaste diction that our contemporary could wish, particularly when we are asked to swallow some JOHN ROBSONISMS. The subject itself is not dignified, and to discuss an undignified subject in a dignified strain is to violate a principle of rhetoric. Moreover, we do not feel that we are under any obligations to make the amendment to the School Act respectable by discussing it in the calm temper of a philosopher. But if the Colonist dislikes to have its sensibilities lascerated, why does it undertake to defend what cannot be defended and quote for support an organ which no later than last fall took the ground that a journalist must sink his opinions in the exigencies of his surroundings, political or what not. The Colonist must know that the newspaper which has no individuality of its own cannot be regarded as an oracle, and why does it, under such circumstances, seek to bolster up its own opinions by reflecting those of dubious authority? Again, why should the Colonist undertake to justify the amendment to the School Act, when it is as plain as day that the ulterior purpose of it is to choke off free expression of opinion among the school teachers. They cannot speak now of school matters without first getting JOHN ROBSON'S endorsement. The police censorship in Russia is not more stringent than the Minister of Education exerts over this department. Is this a proper condition of things? Should the teachers be muzzled? The Colonist knows that in its heart that the amendment muzzled free speech, and yet it expects us to treat the matter in a lofty, philosophical strain. When the Colonist shall cease to attempt to vindicate a law which it knows is a bad one, when it shall quit consorting with such a doubtful character as the Vancouver World, when it ceases to become the apologist for legislation prompted, as the amendment to the School Act was, by spite and revenge, then we will begin to think of discussing the affairs of government in a strain above the reproach of the most prurient editor in the Government employ.

REFORM IN GERMANY.

One of the reforms about to be inaugurated in Germany is the muzzling of the press. A bill shortly will be given to the Reichstag to digest which prohibits the discussion of practical politics. The Prussian newspaper man may theorise on politics, deal with it as an abstraction, but so soon as he begins to discuss it as an entity, and in opposition to his majesty's views withal, he may be banished from the empire and his goods confiscated. There is no danger of this bill not passing the Reichstag. That body has never yet been known to oppose the will of the Hohenzollerns, and it is not unlikely that some of the Reichstag, like members of our own Parliament, are writhing from the effect of adverse criticism, and consequently are no lovers of free speech. This step is the most important the Emperor has yet made, as manifesting his intention to rule despotically. He proposes to run the political machine of Germany himself. Germany, for weal or woe, is to rest in the hollow of his hand. The German Emperor does not care to be badgered by penny-a-liners, or in fact by anything which tends to make public opinion. If there is any manufacturing of public opinion to be done he proposed to do it himself. If he can reduce the German people to political nonentities, questions of war and peace, and of foreign policy, will rest exclusively with him. If, in his political omniscience, and itching for blood, he concludes that France must be crushed, he need not consult his own people; he has only to make sure that his neighbors will remain quiescent while the crushing is going on. A very nice scheme indeed, this prohibiting the discussion of practical politics for reducing the German people to automatons, to hop and skip as their Emperor pulls the string. Tyranny could go no further, and the next step is the introduction of the thumb-screw and the rack. His Imperial Majesty is paving the way for the metamorphosis of phlegmatic Germany into a seething mass of Nihilism. He is interfering with the right of the subject to know what is going on, and to study public questions from many sided points of view, and the question remains can he make it stick? Will the Germans submit to being blindfolded to what is going on around them? Time will tell, but it does not require a prophet to foresee that WILLIAM the Second will die with his boots on, and that, too, possibly, not on the field of battle.

ANNEXATION.

The Empire's *bete noir* is annexation. It howls and hammers away at the subject as if there was a *bona fide* conspiracy on foot, both in the United States and Canada, to bring it about. No doubt there was a time, just after the rebellion, when the leaders of the Republican party were half inclined to annex Canada as a military necessity, and undoubtedly had GEN. GRANT favored the scheme annexation would have been attempted. GRANT, however, disapproved on the ground of the difficulty of assimilating a conquered people, and the people of the United States as a mass have coincided in this view. The people of the United States are now laying back for Canada to decide in the matter of annexation for itself. If Canada, of her own accord, should elect to go into the union—a remote probability, she is an acquisition to the States well worth having. We do not believe that the United States would have Canada under any other circumstances. The negro question is quite enough for the States to deal with at one time. The acquisition of a disaffected and rebellious population on the north, and England antagonized, and nine million of negroes to provide for in the South would be a condition of affairs in the United States beside which home rule for Ireland pales into a mere Donnybrook fair. The United States cannot afford to absorb Canada unless the desire is spontaneous with the Canadians, and they know it. Let the Empire turn its attention to internal affairs, the settlement of religious squabbles, and the development of the country, and it will be doing Canada a service. The annexation business is one of those things which newspaper thunder cannot affect one way or the other.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

The Cuban is more afraid of the moonlight than the sun. He will live in a fœtid atmosphere that would stifle a savage, but surrender a year's income rather than expose himself to the rays of the moon. Every deformity, every distemper, every fever or billious attack he attributes to the effect of the moonlight, which he believes to be the direct cause of most of the ills man is heir to. The drainage of the city is a trivial matter compared with exposure to the moon.

In explaining the item of $20,000 for works connected with the Banff Springs, MR. DEWDNEY said, in the Commons the other day, it was purposed to construct a main sewer in the town in addition to other improvements. So far, $26,411 were expended on the park. If the Government is really in the sewer business they can do a great deal of good by setting up a sewer bureau in Victoria. As they do not care to do anything for the Victoria harbor or for the benefit of Victoria trade, perhaps that they will be good enough to build sewers for us.

The latest romance about Alexander, late of Bulgaria, is that while he was King he was always attended by a tall and handsome jager, who never left him for a moment, and who on several occasions interposed between him and danger at great personal risk. At night the jager slept in the ante-room of the royal chamber, and at least one plot to assassinate the Prince is said to have been thus frustrated. After the Prince left Bulgaria the jager disappeared, and it has since been discovered that the person was a woman, who was desperately in love with the Prince and had sworn to protect him.

The lost man-of-war Trenton, which was wrecked at Samoa, was always considered an unlucky vessel by the sailors who sailed in her. The first attempt to launch her was December 30, 1875, but after two hours' work the effort was abandoned. Soon after being launched she was put into dock and coppered, and when she was taken out she was found to leak so badly that she had to be re-docked. It was then found that two or three holes near the sternpost had been carelessly or maliciously bored and left without plugging. A few weeks later a large piece of the machinery fell from the crane when being hoisted on board and caused considerable damage as it went plunging through the decks to the bottom of the vessel.

In the Commons on Monday, MR. CHARLTON moved an amendment to the franchise bill, substituting manhood suffrage for the present qualification clause. This being lost by a majority of 29, MR. DAVIES moved another amendment, that in Prince Edward Island and British Columbia manhood suffrage prevail at Dominion elections. This was also lost by a majority of 33, MR. PRIOR voting against the Government. This is the first evidence of independence we have heard of for many years on the part of Victoria members. Had MR. E. C. BAKER been attending to his duties at Ottawa, instead of "nursing his wrath" in his private office in Victoria, he would probably have voted with the Government, for has he not declared that being a "Conservative by birth and training he has conscientious scruples against opposing his party, even although in doing so he would be serving his constituents. It is reassuring to know that MR. PRIOR did not inherit similar conservative instincts, and that he may occasionally be depended upon to vote for country first and party afterward.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

Man only blames himself in order that he may be praised.

—Men believe that willingly which they wish to be true.

—At church business meetings a moderator very properly presides.

—Much distress and sickness in children is caused by worms. Mother Graves' Worm Exterminator gives relief by removing the cause. Give it a trial and be convinced.

—What is becoming is honorable, and what is honorable is becoming.

—Holloway's Corn Cure destroys all kinds of corns and warts, root and branch. Who then would endure them with such a cheap and effectual remedy within reach?

—To be called "Colonel" in Kentucky, one must drink liquor bravely.

—This is unhappily an age of skepticism, but there is one point upon which persons acquainted with the subject agree, namely, that *Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil* is a medicine which can be relied upon to cure a cough, remove pain, heal sores of various kinds, and benefit any inflamed portion of the body to which it is applied.

—The trouble with dancing clubs is that they have too many round dances and too few square meals.

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—April is a very fickle month, as to weather, and girls should not add to its general uncertainty by flirting.

—MR. H. Hall, Navarino, N.Y., writes: "For years I have been troubled with Liver Complaint. The doctors said my liver was hardened and enlarged. I was troubled with dizziness, pain in my shoulder, constipation, and gradually losing flesh all the time. I was under the care of three physicians, but did not get any relief. A friend sent me a bottle of Northrop & Lyman's Vegetable Discovery, and the benefit I have received from it is far beyond my expectation. I feel better now than I have done for years."

—The women in England exceed the men by 3,000,000, and yet Englishmen come to America for their wives.

—*Jas. Shannon*, Lonskdale, writes:—"For many years my wife was troubled with chilblains, and could get no relief until about two years ago; she was then not able to walk, and the pain was so excruciating that she could not sleep at night. Your agent was then on his regular trip, and she asked him if he could cure her. He told her *Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil* was a sure cure. She tried it, and judge of her astonishment when, in a few days the pain was all allayed and the foot restored to its natural condition. It is also the best remedy for burns and bruises I ever used."

MRS. Amelia Rives-Chanler and her husband have been the recipients of many social attentions during their visit in Virginia. The authoress is said to be much prettier than she was in the days of her maidenhood, and the local papers go into raptures in describing her beauty. One paper speaks of her eyes as "great double violets, so indescribable in their hue between purple and blue." Mr. and Mrs. Chanler expect to sail for Europe next Saturday.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned in a boating business has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Frank Lloyd assuming all assets and liabilities of the said partnership. FRANK LLOYD,
C. W. RHODES, Witness. W. H. MORRIS.
Victoria B. C., April 1, 1889. ap4

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership which has for some time past been carried on by Henry Croft and William Angus under the firm name of "Croft & Angus," in British Columbia, was this day dissolved by mutual consent.

All persons having any claims against the said firm of Croft & Angus are requested to send particulars thereof to Messrs. Davie & Pooley, of Langley street, Victoria, who are authorized to pay the same, and to collect the moneys due to the said firm. Every person owing money to the said firm is requested to pay the same to Messrs. Davie & Pooley.

As witness our hands this 30th day of March, 1889.

HENRY CROFT,
WM. ANGUS.

Witness: A. P. LUXTON. ap1-3td

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PEDIGREE OF BEN II.

[illegible] Ben 1, 845, chestnut, foaled 1874; bred by Mr. Simpson; owned by Mr. Simpson. Sire, Prince Rosebury, 738, by Law's Farmer, 501.

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HENRY SIMPSON,
mar6-3m South Saanich.

NOTICE.

THE SEMI-ANNUAL EXAMINATION of the Medical Council of British Columbia will take place in the City of Victoria commencing on the 7th day of May next. Full information can be obtained from the Registrar.

G. L. MILNE,
Registrar and Secretary.
April 2, 1889. a3-1m

NOTICE.

THE FOLLOWING HARDWARE MERchants of Victoria have arranged to close their stores at 1 p. m. on Saturday, commencing Saturday the 6th inst.

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CHAS. KENT,
Victoria, March 20, 1889. Collector
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NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

BETWEEN
JOSEPH ROSCOWITZ, Plaintiff,
AND
JAMES WARREN, Defendant.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AN Order has been made in the above entitled action, by the Hon. Sir Matthew B. Begbie, C. J., appointing James C. Prevost Receiver of all the Estate and Effects of the above named defendant to take possession of the real estate and receive and collect the personal estate, and to manage and conduct his business, and to restrain the defendant and all other persons from interfering with him as such Receiver.

JAMES C. PREVOST.

Dated, Victoria, February 18th, 1889. m18

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT from and after this date the provisions of Section 5, of the By-law No. 145, will be strictly enforced, which reads as follows:

"No person shall suffer his Horse, Ass, Mule, Cow, Cattle, Goat, Sheep, Swine, Goose or Dog (except a dog registered as hereinafter mentioned) to run at large within the limits of the city." By order

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[To be continued.]

CHAPTER XIII.

IN NEW QUARTERS.

At last the time of young Stuart Earle's first long leave was over, and he went to Blankhampton to join his regiment, when for several months his life was certainly not of the most pleasant kind, and was very different from any experience he had had before.

For one thing, he had made a bad impression at his very first appearance among them on each and all of his brother officers, from his commanding officer down to the latest joined subaltern, so that every one of them was on the look out for the smallest sign of that "cheek" which every man of them felt it was his personal and particular duty to try to eradicate. A difficult task even for the united strength of a whole regiment, for Tommy's native bounce was apparently of unlimited quantity, while in quality, as bounce, it was of the very first water.

So far as his manners in the mess room were concerned, he was in an incredibly short time what Beautiful Jim called "licked into shape," but in other ways Tommy proved himself to be simply incorrigible. For instance, he never could be brought to see that in Blankhampton society he was in any way inferior to his senior officers, and even in the palace of the lord bishop himself he made no more ado about openly chaffing Beautiful Jim, or telling an absurd tale at the major's expense, than he did of flirting desperately with little Violet Leslie, who was barely out of the school room. Indeed, before six months had gone by, Tommy had the name of being the most impudent young cub who had ever graced the Blankshire regiment or the old city of Blankhampton by his presence.

It must be owned that the women had had a good deal to do with it—they utterly spoiled him, for they allowed him to take almost any liberties that he chose, partly because he was so young, partly because he was so actually beautiful in person, partly because he was the last of a very old and rich and eminently distinguished race.

Not a day passed, if he was not on duty, that as soon as he was free from work he did not go flying off to some feminine charmer, and he neither could nor would understand that "the fellows" objected to going to tea parties where Tommy was the central figure, to dinners where Tommy monopolized the whole of the conversation, and to dances where Tommy's audacious flirtations made him the observed of all observers.

But, though Tommy did not become very popular in his regiment, he was popular enough in the town to satisfy any ordinary craving after the approval of the many. He became after the first few weeks, the intimate friend of all classes—he was "Tommy" from one end of Blankhampton to the other.

Beautiful Jim did his best, but his influence went a very short way, for his advice was anything but palatable to the last of the Earles, and it must indeed be a very strong and firm will which can follow the most excellent advice in the world if it is unpleasant, to the exclusion of all that makes life worth having, a much stronger will than Tommy was blessed with. In truth, all Tommy's strength of purpose went in an opposite direction, that of serving his own ends and gratifying his own sense of pleasure.

"Look here, you young beggar," said Jim one day to him, being moved thereto not by any desire to do Tommy good, but by an uncomfortable feeling that she would be grieved if she could see all that went on in Blankhampton society, "if you go on like this, what do you mean to come to—hey?"

Tommy looked up with his own unabashed gaze.

"What on earth have I been doing to upset you now?" he demanded.

"Well, I saw you myself kiss no fewer than three women last night," Beautiful Jim growled. "The greater fools they to let you."

"Like to have been there yourself, eh?" remarked Tommy, flippantly.

If Beautiful Jim felt half as contemptuous as he looked at that moment he must have attained to the very furthest limits of disdain, for his ugly face seemed petrified with unutterable disgust.

"Like to have been there," he repeated. "Why, you young idiot, do you suppose there's a single woman, married or maid, in the whole of Blankhampton, that would give you so much as a look if I took the trouble to be civil to her? Bless you, child, don't flatter yourself. Why, it's because these women think you're such a baby—such a nothing—such a non-dangerous scrap of humanity—that they let you make the young show of yourself that you do. But what I want to know is, what the devil do you mean to come to?"

"Well, really, Jim," Tommy replied, with a certain "last of the Earles" haughtiness in his tone, "it seems to me you're troubling yourself in a very unnecessary way about my private affairs, and"——

But Beautiful Jim had broken into shouts of derisive laughter. "Tommy, Tommy, you'll be the death of me yet—you will, indeed," he said. "Your private affairs—why, bless me, child, the last joined sub hasn't got any private affairs except in 'applying' for leave. Private affairs, indeed! Well, it's too lovely, that—simply too lovely."

"I don't see anything so very amusing and blandly blank," he said, sourly; "and I say, Jim," he said, easily, "but where's the joke?"

"The joke? In yourself, Tommy, my child, and you can't be expected to see it."

But, after that, Jim gave up trying to keep the lad from making a fool of himself with the Blankhampton women, and gained nothing whatever by the attempt he had made, except to make Tommy firmly believe from that time forward that the senior subaltern was eaten alive with jealousy of him. And if he had only known that Beautiful Jim's whole heart and mind was wrapped up in his own sister! If he had only known that to him, he—Tommy—was simply nothing but an impudent young cub whose only claim to interest, or even notice, lay in the fact he was the brother of that insignificant and not to be counted creature, Nancy Earle—well, it would have helped to take down the young gentleman's idea of his own greatness and his own importance marvelously.

Unfortunately, however, Jim had not, during all those months, the ghost of a chance of furthering his position with Nancy, for almost immediately after Tommy joined the regiment Mr. Earle was seized with a somewhat severe attack of bronchitis, and by the orders of his medical advisers was on the very first opportunity ordered off to the sunny shores of the Mediterranean, there to stay until the very last east wind of our ungenial spring time should have taken its departure from his native shores.

It had been a bitter blow to him, but it was useless to fight against fate, and though he tried hard for foreign leave, he was, owing to various rumors of disturbance floating about the country at this time, unable to get it.

Just at first he was rather elated at the prospect of a change. There was a something jaunty and soldierly about marching out, colors flying, band playing, and a dozen broken hearts behind them, and for a few hours Tommy went airly round announcing that they were off to Walmsbury next week, with a "fresh fields and pastures new" air about him that was irresistibly funny to those of his brother officers who knew what manner of place Walmsbury really was.

But the elation of this young Alexander, longing for more worlds to conquer, did not last long. From "the fellows" he learned nothing; indeed, for any information he would have had from them he would have remained in the ignorance which is bliss, doubly so in this case, until he reached Walmsbury itself; but in Blankhampton it was different.

"Going to Walmsbury," cried one lady to whom he told his news with a very "girl I leave behind me" sort of air. "Oh, you poor dear boy, what a shame! Why, you'll be buried alive in Walmsbury. There's nothing to do and nowhere to go, and not a soul in the place that you can possibly know. No society whatever."

"Why, you'll be buried alive in Walmsbury."

"Oh! I don't know, Mrs. Fairlie," said Tommy, trying not to look as if his jaw was dropping perceptibly, yet with an uncomfortable sort of feeling that the lady, who was quite a small social celebrity in her way in Blankhampton, was right in what she said, "there must be plenty of good people round about."

"My dear boy, none," returned Mrs. Fairlie, with an emphasis which killed the last remnant of jauntiness left to him. "Not a soul who will take the very smallest notice of you."

"Take the smallest notice of me!" echoed Tommy, feeling as if an earthquake had suddenly rent the ground under their very feet.

"Yes, of you! Everybody who is anybody in the neighborhood of Walmsbury," Mrs. Fairlie answered, with uncompromising straightforwardness, "is so horridly rich that they only count incomes by millions and daughters dots by hundreds of thousands. Old families like your own they only regard as useful in having got together fine country places for them to buy; and as for any one of them ever asking you to dinner—why, they would almost as soon ask their sweep. Oh! my dear child, I assure you, in going to Walmsbury you'll find yourself in no bed of roses."

"But, Mrs. Fairlie," said Tommy, when he could get his breath so as to speak, "have you ever been to Walmsbury?"

"Never," returned the lady, promptly.

"Then how do you know all this?" he inquired, triumphantly.

"From the unfortunate men who have been quartered there," she replied immediately, and Tommy was crushed forthwith.

But Mrs. Fairlie was only the first of many who condoled with him on the misfortune of being sent to a place so uncouth, so unattractive in every way as Walmsbury. Thus the young Alexander's thoughts and ideas underwent a complete revolution, and by the time half the week—the last week in Blankhampton—was over, his indignation and disgust at his fate had positively reached their furthest limits. And then when they got to the hated place, and he found himself in his own miserable, deserted quarters, he became simply abject. When he saw the dirty, unattractive streets, the pokey little shops, the ill-looking men and women, and the utter absence of any and every sort of rank and fashion, he fell into a settled misery of regret.

For the first time since he had joined his regiment Tommy regretted sincerely that he had not, when he had the chance, made himself more popular with his brother officers than he had done. For he found Walmsbury no better that a prison, the very end of the earth, the abomination of desolation! Moreover, he was fairly thrown on his beam ends for lack of feminine society.

And, as the natural result of all this, it was not very long before Master Tommy Earle got into very unmistakable mischief, indeed.

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A BY-LAW

To Amend the Consolidated Officers' Remuneration By-law, 1886.

Whereas it is expedient to amend the Consolidated Officers' Remuneration By-law, 1886.

Be it therefore enacted by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. That in the schedule attached to the said by-law the line, "City Carpenter $65.00 per month" is hereby changed to read "City Carpenter $75.00 per month."

2. This By-law may be cited as "The Consolidated Officers' Remuneration Amendment By-law, 1889."

Passed the Municipal Council the 29th day of March, A. D. 1889.

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Dr. J. Eugene Jordan:

Dear Sir—I have much pleasure in testifying to the virtues of your medicines. I was paralyzed from the hips down; could not stand on my limbs without support. I was induced to try your medicines; in six weeks could walk and was perfectly strong again, after using the medicine two months. It is four months since I stopped the medicine and no sign of the trouble returning.

A. B. OLDERSHAW.

Victoria, B. C., 25th January 1889.

Dr. J. Eugene Jordan:

Dear Sir—I have very great pleasure in adding my testimony to the efficiency of your medicines. I was taken down with Rheumatic fever early in the spring which never seemed to entirely leave me, owing to the extreme dampness of the air, and I was so crippled with Rheumatism that I could not walk without the help of a cane. I suffered very much pain wherever I attempted to move. Your medicines which came into my hands, I am now able to write, and do not hesitate to recommend your medicines to the public, in my opinion there is nothing like them to cure Rheumatism.

WM. THURSDAL.

Victoria, B. C., 18th February 1889.

Dr. J. Eugene Jordan, M. D.

Dear Sir—I have much pleasure in adding my testimony to the efficiency of your medicine. I was suffering severely from an attack of Quinsy, a friend of mine recommended your medicine, which I began using, and in a few hours the pain was gone. I can recommend Histogenetic medicines as a specific in that complaint.

JAMES KNOX, SS. Islander.

Victoria, September 27th, 1888.

Dr. J. Eugene Jordan.

Dear Sir—As I am about to leave the country I think it is my duty to you and the public that I should thank your agent, Mr. Desfriney, for introducing your medicine to me. I have long very bad for five years with rheumatism and gravel; I tried everything but got no relief until I tried your medicine, in it I found great relief, so much so that I will take a supply with me, and when out I will send for more. Sir, I remain yours,

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LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

News of the City and Province Briefly Told.

—Ice Cream and ice for sale at Poodle Dog.

—A large Raymond excursion party is due here in a few days.

—The Victoria Building Society will hold its fifth drawing to-morrow evening.

—The sanitary officer has taken out several summonses for filthy gutters and premises.

—Two overcoats with several smaller articles were stolen from the Vancouver House yesterday.

—Chicken or garden fencing, four feet, 18 cents per yard, at McLENNAN & McFELLY'S, 16 Fort St. 2w

—The Swedish ship Janet Fergason, from Bangkok for Victoria, was spoken on the 3rd inst. all right.

—The public schools were closed today as a tribute to the memory of the late Hon. Robt. Dunsmuir.

—The Maple Leaf and James Bay baseball clubs will play a match game at Beacon Hill on Good Friday.

—Take advantage of the fine weather and have the baby's photo taken. Go to Hall & Lowe's and get the best.

—The City Council meets this evening to consider Ald. Harris' proposed by-law re the National Electric Tramway.

—The city contractors have unanimously agreed to give their employees a half holiday commencing on May 1st.

—The steamer Princess Louise was loading cannery supplies for the Fraser river at the outer wharf this morning.

—The odor arising from the Johnson street drain suggests more speed in our City Council's sewerage deliberations.

—Thirty-five business failures are reported by R. G. Dun & Co. throughout Canada for the week ending April 5th.

—The seven o'clock special train from Nanaimo last evening ran into a cow on the harbor bridge, severely bruising it.

—The Pianos made by Knabe & Co carried off the highest award at the Centennial Exhibition. M. W. Waitt & Co., agents.

—If your "pianos" want tuning, you can get satisfaction by applying to Mr. Frank Bourne, the practical tuner, 24, Kane street, City.

—A special train from Wellington arrived at noon with about 300 passengers on board. The Wellington brass band also came down.

—The North Pacific last evening brought 614 head of live stock, the largest lot, probably, that has ever arrived here at one time.

—The Walla Walla brought a cargo for this port valued at $9580. Goods in transit to the east via the C. P. R. were valued at $22,760.

—Three rehearsals of the "Ancient Mariner" this week to prepare for next Monday evening's concert—the closing event of the musical season.

—Mr. R. W. Armstrong, who has held the position of Registrar of Titles at New Westminster for six years past, has sent in his resignation.

—It will repay you to visit Waitt's Music Store and see the Knabe Pianos, and the other well known instruments which they have in stock.

—A magnificent line of Jendron's celebrated wire wheel baby buggies just opened at John Weiler's. Also China dinner, breakfast and tea services.

—A letter has been received from Governor-General Stanley stating that he feared he would be unable to be present at the opening of the Provincial Exhibition in New Westminster.

—Supt. Abbott, of the C. P. R., says the company would be willing to make the draw of the Mission bridge 70 or 80 feet. Anything over that he thinks would be an unreasonable length.

—The jolly tars of the Swiftsure appeared on the streets yesterday and today, and reminded one of old times. Admiral Hoskins, his officers and men are glad to get back and we are glad to see them.

—Editor O'Brien of the *World* says business is good in the terminal city. The Samsonian youngster continues to take three meals and go right along growing without taking time to suck his fist like other babies.

—Reports claimed a schooner, with Neah Bay Indians on board, was lost off Race Rocks about the 2nd inst. No such schooner was in Angeles about that date, as reported, and the loss of one is now generally discredited.

—Col. McGregor returned from Victoria last evening and brings the good news that the people of the capital city are greatly interested in Westminster and its prospects. He thinks considerable Victoria capital will be invested here this summer.—*Columbia.*

—The farming implements, produce and poultry of a Chinaman lately conducting the Spring Vale Farm in the suburbs, were disposed of at auction yesterday by the sheriff. Enough was realized to satisfy claims, aggregating $468. Another Chinaman was the purchaser of the effects.

—W. A. Clarkson, a Chicago commercial man, was thrown from his horse while out riding yesterday afternoon. His foot caught in the stirrup, and he was dragged along Douglas street, from Humboldt to View street where the horse was captured by George Fielding. He was bruised and badly shaken up, but not otherwise injured.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of Movements of Well Known Persons.

Major Marcus A. Reno, late of the U. S. army, who served with General Custer in the Yellowstone Sioux massacre, died at Washington, D. C., a week ago. He had suffered from cancer on the tongue for some three months. The cancer was removed by Dr. Hamilton, but erysipelas and pneumonia set in and caused his death. He was a brave officer and had a most excellent record in the rebellion. He gave escort to the Northern boundary survey, and was engaged in the Sioux expedition. General Custer, just before his last fatal engagement with the Indians, divided his troops, placing one division under Major Reno's orders. The latter command escaped the massacre, but their comrades were slain to a man. In 1880, Major Reno, for reasons, was dismissed from the service.

Mr. and Mrs. Redon and Mr. and Mrs. Pelletier were in Ottawa yesterday. Lt.-Col. Prior, M. P., did the honors for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustave Leiser were registered at the Occidental Hotel, San Francisco, last Friday.

J. L. Beckwith, Storey & Co.'s representative in British Columbia, has returned from the mainland.

W. H. Ladner, M. P. P., and J. M. O'Brien, of the *World*, came down on the Islander last night to attend the funeral of the late Hon. Robt. Dunsmuir.

R. W. Armstrong, of New Westminster, who has resigned the position of district registrar, will resume the practice of his profession in company with L. P. Eckstein. Mr. Armstrong filled the duties of his office in a manner which was above criticism, and starts into business with a partner under peculiarly favorable circumstances. Both enjoy the respect of the public and of the bench and bar.

Peter Jamieson, formerly of Victoria, but at present of Nanaimo, is in the city.

Geo. Thomson, M. P. P., came down to attend the funeral to-day.

For Alaska.

The Ancon sailed from the outer wharf at 11 o'clock last night for Alaska having the passengers were Barton Atkins, U. S. Marshal and son and two deputies, W. K. Lear, John Lamontagne and Thos. Harvey. A very large freight was on board. She took on from this port 10,000 pounds of fresh meat from the British Columbia market.

A Big Blast.

A blast of 300 pounds of dynamite was exploded at Nicol Rock, Nanaimo, on Monday. The effect was felt throughout Nanaimo.

A Bad Man.

John G. McLeod, night clerk of the Astor House, Astoria, burglarized the safe of the hotel on Saturday morning last of $275. He hails from New Westminster, where he went under the name of George Henerie.

Provincial Museum.

Contributors for March: Victoria—Miss Partridge, Capt. Harmon, J. Knight, A. H. Maynard.

Clover Point—William J. Henly.

Cadboro Bay—M. M. Moyes.

Lillooet—A. W. Smith.

Naval.

H. M. S. Amphion, Commander Barrett, is the next war-ship due here. The Champion will afterwards follow. H. M. S. Swiftsure will not enter the dry dock till after the Queen's Birthday. The Espiegle will sail for the south some time next week.

Early Closing Movement.

At a meeting of the grocers of Winnipeg last week the early closing movement was considered, and it was unanimously decided to close at 8 o'clock, commencing on the 1st of May, Saturday nights and nights preceding holidays excepted.

For the North.

The Barbara Boscowitz, bound north, has a large cargo of cannery supplies on board. Thirty fishing boats for the North Pacific Canning Co., also go up, as well as twenty Chinamen for cannery work. James Bryant is a passenger for Lorne Creek and J Clayton for Bella Bella.

In the Dock.

The steamer Danube and the bark Robert Kerr went into the dry dock at 6 o'clock this morning. The two boats at one time do not nearly fill the dock, which will dispel an idea held by some that it is not large enough for almost any boat on the Pacific ocean. The Robert Kerr's hull is literally alive with barnacles, and general appearances indicate that the vessel needs extensive repairs.

Dress Reform.

Mrs. Annie Jenness Miller, the apostle of dress reform has set the ladies of San Francisco and Portland agog in matters of dress. From lengthy accounts appearing in the papers of those two cities it seems she has taken the tight laces in hand. Mrs. Miller is radical in her views. She says a petticoat is a relic of barbarism; believes in leglets, whatever they may be. As the lady is coming to Seattle she might be kind enough to call at Victoria, whereon ample field presents itself.

Mail Steamer Subsidies.

The Minister of Finance has given notice of resolutions providing for an annual subsidy of £25,000 sterling for a fortnightly service between British Columbia and the Australian Colonies; half million dollars annually for ten years for a fast weekly service between Canada and Great Britain, making connection with Havre, Southampton to be the English terminus, and not Liverpool; fifteen thousand pounds yearly for a monthly service between British Columbia and China and Japan, or £25,000 annually for a fortnightly service.

Jumbo Island Coal.

The company which have been boring for coal on Jumbo island, near Plumpers Pass, says the *Columbian*, have been so fortunate as to strike a large vein of superior quality coal. The prospects look so favorable that a force of 30 men have been set to work to sink a shaft for the development of the mine. Work on the shaft commenced this week, and when sufficiently advanced the requisite machinery will be put in and mining operations commenced. The coal is said to be equal in quality to any on the coast.

Bunting will Fight.

Editor Bunting, of the Toronto *Mail*, was in Montreal with lawyers getting ready for the great case in defence of the position the *Mail* has taken against the Jesuits. He said the case would be fought upon the constitutionality of the Jesuits as an incorporated body, and after that upon its merits. The case would be carried by the *Mail* to every court in the realm if necessary until justice was secured. Bunting bears witness to the absorbing nature of the question in Ontario, and is confident the next elections held in that province will stamp the opinions of the people upon the future legislators and legislation of that province very emphatically.

Chinese Troubles.

There are a few unhappy Chinamen in the city. They have only themselves to blame for being in that state. The trouble is trivial and comprises a matter of dollars and cents. The C. P. R. steamship authorities are blamed and John is stubborn. The whole matter arises from the steamship company demanding three full class fares for the ossified remains of as many departed Chinamen which have been carefully prepared for shipment to the Flowery Kingdom. The three boxes containing the bones are held on the C. P. N. wharf each marked "Do not send this box." The Chinamen have only want to pay second class fare for transportation. In the meantime storage will be charged, and as corporations are considered soulless, John will have to give in or violate a time-honored custom.

Drew $1,000 for Himself.

The third drawing of the Terminal City Building Society took place last evening at the City Hall. Percy Crick, C. P. R. Telegraph messenger boy, was present and asked to do the blind-fold act and draw. He protested, saying that he was a subscriber. In the absence of any other boy, his objections were overruled, and he was pressed into service. He consented, with a naive prophecy that he would pick out his own number. He thereupon drew out a ticket, upon which was a double number, 91 A and B, calling for Percy Crick and Mrs. Macey. Percy's feelings on his good luck were not unlike those of little Jack Horner, when, as history relates, he sat in a corner eating his Christmas pie, put in this thumb, extracted a plum, and remarked "What a good boy am I." His speed in going home to inform his parents of his success beat the fastest record ever made by a telegraph boy in delivering a message.—*News.*

The Invertavish Nursery.

Mr. G. A. McTavish, proprietor of the Invertavish Nursery, has accomplished wonders since removing his business to the city. His gardens and hot houses, although started only about six months, contain all the flowers in season in magnificent profusion. Many of the friends of the late Mr. Dunsmuir sent their orders for floral tributes to Mr. McTavish, and among other beautiful collections which he prepared, were a broken wheel, harp, sickle, anchor, and cross, which were composed principally of rhododendrons, laurestinus, and clematis. Besides the ordinary varieties, the Invertavish Nursery contains most of the choice flowers, foliage, plants, and the infinite variety of beautiful things for house and garden cultivation. Parties having gardens which they are restocking, or flower plots which they are renewing, ought to visit the "Vale of the McTavish" and see where flowers bloom the earliest, and learn how it is done.

POLICE COURT.

(Before City Police Magistrate Richards, Q. C.)

W. G. Sum, Chinaman who conducts a restaurant on Johnson street, was charged with selling an intoxicant without a license. The case was remanded till to-morrow.

Ah Goe, charged with an infraction of the building by-law in making alterations of a wooden building, was also remanded till to-morrow.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

THE LAST RITES,

Funeral of Late Hon. R. Dunsmuir—A Sympathetic Public's Tribute.

Splendid Floral Offerings—Funeral Arrangements Well Carried Out.

The funeral of the late Hon. Robert Dunsmuir, which took place this afternoon, was the largest ever witnessed in the province, the procession reaching from Courtenay street by way of Douglas and Humboldt, around James Bay to Menzies street. The whole line of march was lined with people.

The remains were viewed this morning at the residence by a large number of people. Encased in a beautiful casket, the head resting on a pillow of white roses and dressed as we were accustomed to see him, the deceased looked "as natural as life." The metallic casket was an exceptionally beautiful one, plate glass front, rose wood finish and with massive silver trimmings. The inscription bore simply the words

ROBERT DUNSMUIR.
DIED APRIL 12TH, 1889,
AGED 64 YEARS.

The interior of the casket was lined with white satin, the head resting on a pillow of roses as already stated. A profusion of beautiful flowers rested on the cover. These were made up into tasteful wreaths and crosses, many of them selected specially for the meaning which they conveyed. Around the head of the coffin were wreaths in lilacs, white hyacinths, white roses and a large number of crosses. Among the contributors of the beautiful floral offerings were the general employees of the E. & N. Railway, who sent a magnificent wreath, an immense cross from the employees of the Government street office and the tugs, a broken wheel and a sickle from the employees of R. Dunsmuir & Sons, San Francisco. The latter was especially beautiful, showing plainly the touch of a florist's hand. Among the others also was a large pillow in white hyacinths and immortelles with the word "rest," in raised letters of purple hyacinths, the border in Calla lillies. An immense anchor rested at the foot of the coffin.

About two o'clock the workmen, members of societies and officials began to assemble on the beautiful grounds surrounding the government buildings, and fell into line. C Battery under command of Lieut. Ogilvie, marched in and with the local militia took a position at the rear of the drill shed. The Albion Iron Works employees numbered 150, the Wellington men about 200. Shortly before 2:30 the whole company fell into line and marched on to Menzies street through the drill shed. A minute or two later as the casket emerged from the main entrance of the late residence, the signal was given to march. The Battery band, under Prof. Agius, played the "Dead March in Saul" and the company of societies, militia and employees moved slowly forward, followed by the fire department, the engine and hose reel being heavily draped. In forming, the foremost part of the procession passed the hearse and turned down Belleville street. The casket having been placed in the hearse with floral offerings on top, the whole procession moved on, passing along Belville street, around James Bay to Humboldt, thence along Humboldt to Douglas, thence to Government street by way of Courtenay.

The following was the order of the procession.

Marshal.
"C" Battery Band.
St. George's Society.
Pioneer Society.
St. Andrew's and Caledonian Society.
Board of Trade.
Victoria Fire Department.
Militia.
Battery "C," Royal Canadian Artillery.
Royal Navy.
C. P. R. Co.'s Employees and others.
Albion Iron Works Employees.
E. & N. Railway Employees.
The Wellington Band.
Wellington Workmen.

Pallbearers. HEARSE. Pallbearers.

Mourners.
Clergy.
Chief Justice and Senators.
Puisne Judges.
Members of the House of Commons.
Provincial Executive.
Speaker of the Provincial Legislature.
Members of the Provincial Legislature.
Foreign Consuls.
Mayor and Aldermen.
Dominion Civil Service.
Provincial Civil Service.
Civic Officials.
General Public.

When the hearse arrived opposite St. Andrew's church the bugle sounded "a halt", which brought the whole procession to a standstill. The church long before this was crowded and it was impossible to gain admittance, those composing the procession, excepting the mourners and a few others, standing on the street. At the church the services were of a short and simple character, the sacred edifice being appropriately prepared for the occasion. Heavy draping hung over the entrance, the pulpit and choir railing, which with lines of drapery across the organ pipes caught up with rosettes gave the sombre chamber a more solemn appearance than usual. The pew of the deceased was also covered with crape. The casket was carried into the church followed by the mourners, James and Alexander Dunsmuir, Messrs. Harvie, Bryden, Snowden, and Bryden, Jr., J. S. and J. D. Helmcken and Dr. Davie; Revs McLeod, Christie, Bishop Lemmens and clergy, Ven. Archdeacon Scriven and English Church clergy, John Croft, F. Little, H. K. Prior, Wm. Whyte, and others.

The casket having been placed before the pulpit, the services conducted by the Rev. Mr. McLeod, assisted by Rev. Mr. Christie, commenced. The choir sang the anthem, the Lord's Shephard and the 150 Hymn:

Friend after friend departs
Who has not lost a friend?
There is no union here of hearts,
That finds not here an end:
Were this frail world our only rest,
Living or dying, none were blest.

After prayer, portions of the 90th Psalm and the 15th chap. of 1st Cor. were read. The service having been concluded, the organ pealed forth "The Dead March in Saul" while the coffin was being replaced in the hearse to be conveyed to the final resting place. This having been done the bugle again sounded and the sad procession moved on to the grave, going by way of Fort and Cook streets. On arriving at the cemetery the body was placed in a temporary brick vault, where it will remain till a family vault is built. The following gentlemen were the pallbearers: Sir M. B. Begbie, Hon. J. Robson, Hon. E. G. Vernon, C. E. Pooley, Jno. Grant, Thos. Davie, R. P. Rithet, R. Ward, Geo. Gillespie, J. Hunter, Jno. Tratch, W. F. Bullen.

The duties of marshall were well performed by Supt. Roycroft, assisted by Messrs. Langley and Lindsay.

The Swiftsure band was unable to be present but its place was acceptably filled by the band from Wellington.

TEXADA.

More Rich Finds—Specimens Brought to Nanaimo.

From the Free Press.]

The fact is now indisputable that gold in rich paying quantities exists on Texada Island. The steamer Fernie's, Captain Hughes, arrived from Texada Island this morning, having run in here on purpose to land Messrs. John Perry, Wm. Delahay, Jos. Hoskins, Robt. Richards, Robert Frethey, F. Rodgers and Chas. Capman, who have been prospecting on the island and have been waiting on the beach since last Wednesday for the steamer Rustler to bring them to this port.

Wm. Delahay brought down the finest specimen which has yet been taken from the island. The specimen in question, which weighs several pounds, was taken from the "Surprise" claim, came from four to five feet below the surface, and is what is known as "leaf" gold, the precious metal being plainly discernable in large nuggets all along one side of the specimen which is in that part honeycombed. The discovery of this handsome specimen was purely accidental, it having been thrown in the dump with a quantity of other quartz showing no signs of gold.

Messrs. Greenwall & Gillis were ordered to discontinue work by the Vancouver Syndicate but refused to do so, and the matter will in all likelihood result in a lawsuit as to the ownership. Some large nuggets of native gold were taken by Mr. Delahay from the specimen in question, which is now in the possession of Mr. A. Raper. A quantity of washings were shown a reporter of the *Free Press* this morning and lumps of gold plainly discernable were to be seen all through the dirt, nearly half of the quantity in fact being gold. The gold does not run through the solid quartz but is formed all around a cavity or lodes.

DONALD DOINGS.

Personal Intelligence—Mining Notes—River News, &c., &c.

From DONALD TRUTH.]

Chief dispatcher Downie has gone to Toronto, Ontario, on a month's leave of absence.

Captain Armstrong, with eight men and the steamer Marion, is engaged in improving the channel of the Columbia river above Golden. The improvements consist of removing obstructions and damming up sloughs so as to confine the water to one channel.

A company has been organized under the laws of this province to develop the coal mines in the Crow's Nest Pass. Col. Baker is the president of the new company, the other officers being Victorians. The coal fields in that locality are known to be of great extent, and the seams large. The company has a capital stock of $2,000,000.

At Canyon creek the Electra Mining Company has its shaft down 14 feet. The men employed have had considerable difficulty with the cribbing.

Private advices from Revelstoke are that the Columbia River Transportation Company will immediately begin building a steamboat for the lower river trade. When completed she will be run between Revelstoke and Little Dalles, Washington. At the latter place connection will be made with a line that is operated for the benefit of Spokane Falls.

A big ledge, carrying gold, silver and copper, has been discovered three miles east of Windermere. Tom McVittie and Sam Brewer will prospect it.

R. E. Lemon, of Revelstoke, is offering for sale his entire stock of general merchandise. He wants to quit Revelstoke.

The sheriff has levied on all the property of Jeffrey Brothers, tie contractors now operating near Field. This winter has been a bad one for men engaged in that business, all owing to the low rate (18 cents) at which they contracted to do the work.

Dr. McFarlane left Donald this week for Canal Flat, where he will be engaged for a time as doctor-in-charge.

Mr. Sprague, Mr. Lewis, and Rev. Mr. Wright went a-fishing Monday. They caught one fish, the pastor landing it. On the previous day, without the aid of the pastor, the two first-named gentlemen caught fifteen fine ones. Hereafter they should do all their fishing on Sunday.

The Dominion government has decided to plat and sell the townsite of Donald. Surveys will be made this month, and the sale of lots will, it is stated, take place on or about the 15th of May.

Sad Ending.

It is now learned that Mr. Jonathan Maxon, who was crushed to death on the Oregon and California railroad last week near Chico, Cal., was on his way home to Bloomington, Illinois, from Vancouver. The gentleman was seventy years of age, and had been spending the winter with his son in the terminal city. His death was most tragic.

Oiling the Waters.

The *Army and Navy Journal* prints a letter from a naval officer, who suggests that the ancients, who knew the value of oiling troubled waters, learned this method from observing the sea-birds. All fish-eating birds, cape pigeons, petrels, and the like, eject oil from the mouth when captured. In the South Atlantic and South Pacific the writer had witnessed sea birds floating in spaces of comparatively quiet water when the sea around was rough. The unusual smoothness of the water was evidently due to considerable quantities of oil deposited by the birds.

As to Garbage.

The Seattle city council is debating the garbage question. At the last meeting Dr. Minor, a member of the committee of the county medical society, was present and advised that the city adopt the crematory plan for the disposal of the garbage. He explained that it had been successfully operated in other cities and it would cost less than $5000 to build the necessary plant. A general discussion of the plan followed and the matter was referred to the committee on health and police to report. After recess the committee reported against the crematory plan and advised the construction of the garbage scow for the present.

Victor Hugo's Prophecy.

"For 400 years the human race has not made a step but what has left its plain vestige behind. We enter now upon great centuries. The sixteenth century will be known as the age of painters, the seventeenth will be termed the age of writers, the eighteenth the age of philosophers, the nineteenth the age of apostles and prophets. To satisfy the nineteenth century it is necessary to be the painter of the sixteenth, the writer of the seventeenth, the philosopher of the eighteenth, and it is also necessary, like Louis Blanc, to have the innate and holy love of humanity which constitutes an apostolate, and opens up a prophetic vista into the future.

"In the twentieth war will be dead, the scaffold will be dead, animosity will be dead, royalty will be dead, and dogmas will be dead, but man shall live. For all there will be but one country—that country the whole earth; for all there will be but one hope—that hope the whole heaven.

"All hail, then, to the noble twentieth century, which shall own our children, and which our children shall inherit!"

Startling Experience.

Some four days ago, says an Algoma paper, as No. 1 was rushing along past Stayner Falls, Conductor Nidd's attention was drawn to one of his lady passengers who was apparently ill, and bending over the lady with motherly solicitude she whispered something in his ear which made his hair stand on end like quills on the fretful porcupine. He soon went to the other lady passengers, explained the nature of the news which had so startled him, and requested their assistance, when much to his astonishment, they all cleared into the next car and left him alone with his patient. Hastily rushing into the sleeping car he obtained some bedding and shortly after the lusty voice of a fine young boy was heard above the rattling of the train. She was taken on to North Bay, where medical assistance was procured and kindly hands carried mother and new-born child to the hotel. On the news being flashed to Montreal directions came back to christen the youngster "Van Horne," and the company directed the conductor to assume the title of "Doctor," his visiting cards now reading, "Doctor Nidd, Accoucheur General to the C. P. R."

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Outlawry in the East.

The Megantic outlaw is giving straight laced Canadians an excellent idea of the wild and wooley west, a condition which they have deprecated on occasions with pious pride. Canadians will have discovered in this little episode of the Megantic outlaw that western outlawry may be had in the east, where the conditions are favorable to its development. Murder is peculiar to no given locality, and where a criminal has friends he may effect a compromise with the law. Eastern people can now take it home to themselves that they are no better than they should be, and that the promiscuous use of the pistol in the west had a paternity in the east latent there only because of the failure of something turning up which seemed to justify the playing of the role of the desperado.

Passengers Arriving.

Per Str. Princess Louise from Westminster—Mr and Mrs J H Cowper, Mr and Miss Watson, Mr and Mrs Nicholson and three children, Miss Nicholson, Mrs Colman, Mr and Mrs Sweeney and family, R Mar, Jas J Stephenson, C G Wenfold, J Peart, J McGibbon, W Easton, J H Collins, H Williams, N McCrosby, F B Pemberton, J Renbergh, E Page, T Cunningham, Thomas Stark, J Johnson, U Nelson, O D Sweet, W M Matthews, J W Anderson, J M O'Brien, T Trophy, J Cockrane, W H Ladner.

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